



# The Bell

The School Newsletter  
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Our Christian Values

Reverence – Endurance  
Peace – Hope – Wisdom  
Service – Forgiveness  
**Creation** – Thankfulness  
Compassion – Friendship  
Koinonia – Humility  
**Trust** – Justice

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## Farewell and Good Luck!

On Tuesday 27th February, Ms Backett will leave us to start her period of maternity leave. We would like to wish her and her family the very best of luck at this special time. We look forward to hearing her wonderful news very soon.

Ms Backett teaches classes twice a week when our staff have time out of class to plan and prepare for lessons. Until the end of term, Ms Backett's classes will be covered by a creative arts company from the who will teach the curriculum and bring it to life through the arts.

## Welcome to...

As we are always striving to strengthen our practice, we would like to welcome Ms Louise Prevett who joins us as our lead practitioner for teaching and learning. She will work across the school, developing and supporting our teaching and learning, so that we provide the very best education we can for all our children.

## Dates for your Diary

### February

Wednesday 28th Feb—Y6 out visit to the London Eye

### March

**Thursday 1st March—World Book Day**

Wednesday 7th March—Year Reception out at the London Transport Museum.

12-16th March—Science Week

Tuesday 20th March—YR and Y6 Parent Teacher Day

Wednesday 21st March—Y4 and Y5 Parent Teacher Day

Thursday 22nd March—Year 3 Parent Teacher Day

Friday 23rd March  
Year 2 Parent Teacher Day

Sports Relief

**3.30-5pm —Easter around the World Celebration (please contact the Parent Group via the school office if you are able to help)**

**Thursday 29th March—Last day of Spring Term. School closes at 2pm**

Friday 30th March—Friday 13th April—Easter Holiday

Monday 16th April—Staff INSET Day (no children in school)

**Tuesday 17th April—Children return to school**



## St Jude and St Paul's Church

### Mothering Sunday



St Jude & St Paul's Church would like to invite you to a special celebration on Mothers' Day, Sunday 11th March at 10.30am for 1 hour. There will be creative storytelling, wondering, daffodils and refreshments afterwards.

Revd Rock Sturt becomes our vicar on Thursday 1st March and would be very pleased to welcome you on Mothering Sunday. We now have all age services regularly on the Second Sunday of each month, when children and young people - and their parents, carers and grandparents - are particularly welcome.



## Book Awards Well done to...

## Using the Internet Safely

Do you know how to keep yourself safe online? 'Think U Know' is a website is designed for children and parents to help you do just that.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>



## This Thursday 1st March

Come to school dressed in pyjamas for a bedtime story. Send in photos of you reading in **peculiar places!** We will display them in the front entrance.